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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Nagayoshi ICHIKAWA et al.  
Title: REACTOR STRUCTURAL  
MEMBER AND METHOD OF  
SUPPRESSING CORROSION OF  
THE SAME  
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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated October 13, 2004, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Please amend the application as follows: